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LOCAL NEWS

The Parent-Teachers Association of Calumet High School and Auburn Park school met last Monday. Mrs. Julia C. Hallam will speak. Welfare work will be discussed.

The Gresham Lodge No. 148 I. O. O. F. gave a card party and dance on Wednesday evening, Dec. 5th, at Auburn Park Masonic Temple, 7882 Emerald Ave.

Sigma Phi Sorority gave a dancing party at Hamilton Park on Saturday evening. There are twelve members.

The Auburn Highlands Auxiliary of the Red Cross held a meeting at Mrs. O. A. Murphy's, 8042 Throop St., last evening. Work is being planned and yarn distributed. A fee of from 1c to 5c is being charged at each meeting to buy additional yarn to make outfits for Auburn Park boys. Auburn Parkers are invited to "Do your bit."

Shop early in Auburn.

Watch the Christmas sales in Auburn Park.

We are sorry to hear Mr. and Mrs Kitchen have left us and have moved to Denver.

Master Smith of 8532 Morgan St. is some boy.

Did you sign the Good Fellow Pledge?

Calumet High School, 81st and Normal Ave., held an interesting meeting. Mothers told their experience in earning a dollar for the use of welfare work in the neighborhood.

Buy your knitting needle in Auburn Park. They are better than those down town.

Miss Munch, 7731 Carpenter, is celebrating today as she is one month old.

Auburn Park was well represented at the stock show. Little Helen Bolik claims it's as good as Christmas.

Racine Avenue cars are beginning to progress southward—as usual via freight.

Charles Wall of Denver is visiting his mother, Mrs. B. Wall, 7738 Green St.

HIGHLAND NOTES

Magnolia, Miss Carrier's docile Pil goat, is busy these days knitting socks for the soldiers. And like a real knitter she sports a knitting bag. Added to this Magnolia gave vent to her love of country by chasing Dan Kelly's dachund three blocks the other day. Keep up the good work.

A car was seen on Seventy-ninth Street some time last week, which goes to prove that things will happen.

All the young men in Auburn Highlands who wish to join the Highland Knitting Club should see Sister Flynn who will be pleased to enroll applicants. The two two and the four hundred and one will be taught.

WHEN IS A DEAD "FLIVVER" DEAD

When is a dead "flivver" dead? Seems like kind of a peculiar question, doesn't it? But then, peculiar things happen nowadays. We don't know anything about this dead "flivver" business and we presume that you don't, but, if one were to ask the inhabitants of that part of Auburn Highlands known as Arizona, this same question, they could give an answer which would be entirely their own. And so we asked them, and were favored with a little tale. Here goes:

Last Friday a tin Lizie, alias the "flivver," came out to the aforesaid part of Highlands—and lay down and died. Yes, she deliberately lay down and died. And although a dozen hepersons parted with a lot of energy in trying to work up a little animation in the little gas chariot—she quivvered not. To all appearances she had run her gait and then quietly and unobtrusively had made her exit into the great beyond. Pressed by a sense of hospitality, the neighbors, polite and kind, turned out en masse to extend condolence to Lizzie's chaperone—which helped to soothe matters a bit. At last it was decided to take the dead "flivver" to its resting place for final obsequies. And so, up the street she was towed, followed by the mourners. But lo—when nearing the corner of Eighty-second the deceased coughed a few times, sneezed violently, and then—away she tore, removing from her path one of the rear wheels of the towing coffee wagon and causing a perfectly good load of coffee to be distributed over Loomis macadam. And now may we again ask—when is a dead "flivver" dead?

P. S.—The "flivver" incident is now history in Arizona but in the atmosphere there still hangs—the mystic aroma of coffee.

PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION OGLESBY SCHOOL.

The Oglesby Red Cross Auxiliary meets every Wednesday at Oglesby School. Wool is furnished to experienced knitters with full Red Cross instructions.

Plain sewers are especially needed for Wednesdays, the 12th and 19th, to finish the garments on hand before the two weeks' Christmas vacation, as the Auxiliary cannot meet during that period.

THE LIBERTY LOAN

"No matter how great the cost may be, this country's participation in the world war will bring a reward immeasurably greater. When the smoke of battle clears away and the prayed-for peace is established, that great, intangible, but mighty thing, which may aptly be called the American soul, will have assumed the strength and flawless proportions to which it was destined. It has been great and strong and virile, but it has lacked much of the element of oneness. War will weld the vagrant, shifting ingredients into a great single unit, and when the great American soul comes fully into its own, the dreams of the forefathers—the founders of this nation—will be realized."

Felix J. Streckmans, chairman of the foreign-language division of the Liberty Loan executive committee of the seventh federal reserve district, thus expressed himself when the recent campaign in the interest of war bonds was at its height. Mr. Streckmans was born in this country, but his parents came from Belgium.

"The war will mean the permanent passing of the hyphen," he went on. "There will be no more hyphenated Americans; there will be no more divided allegiance, although the natural motherland sentiment may burn as brightly as ever before. But America will be the land of Americans. America will be as hospitable as in the past, as wholesome in her desires to extend the helping hand, but it will be a more united America—an America whose flag can have but one meaning to all. War is a great leveler of caste and the time is not far distant when there will be but one class in this great land of ours—and that class will be known by one word—'American'.

"Victory has not yet perched upon the banner of free America, but it must perch there eventually. The more whole-hearted and earnest we do our part in the great struggle, the sooner will the peace of the entire world be assured and that peace will prove a blessing to friend and foe alike. The organization of American citizens of foreign birth or extraction which resulted in connection with the recent campaign to raise war funds, must be maintained and strengthened for future work. When another loan is authorized by the government at Washington, the foreign-language division of our people must be in a position to do even greater work than it did in the last campaign."

Mr. Streyckmans and his associates will labor throughout the interim between campaigns to strengthen the various foreign-language organizations for work in the next Liberty Loan drive in the seventh federal reserve district.

The long days pass and ever
I look for you in vain,
My heart is sick with waiting
And weary with the pain
Of longing, ever longing
For sight of one so dear;
It seems as if my yearning
Must serve to bring you near.
Long nights I spend in sorrow,
And morns give birth anew
To hope that e'er the morrow
My wish will bring me you.
—Isabel Forner Weddon.

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SOLDIERS AND LIBERTY LOAN

The American soldier does not believe in doing things by halves. He uses the full unit in giving expression to his practical patriotism. He not only stands willing to support the flag in its glorious onward march to world liberty and freedom, laying down his life if necessary, but he stands willing to aid the government by lending liberally of his money. What he did in connection with the second Liberty Loan should serve as an inspiration to the entire nation.

Subscriptions to the second Liberty Loan from the military establishment of the United States reached the gigantic total of $89,803,300. The American army had a per capita subscription of $76.86, representing an average subscription of $113.25 and nearly 70 per cent of the army subscribed.

The American expeditionary forces in France subscribed $5,661,850. Troops in Hawaii rolled up $1,269,150; those in Panama $1,113,600 and those in the Philippines and China $358,550.

The thirty-one cantonment camps in the nation subscribed for $43,080,500 of the war bonds. The sixteen National Army camps subscribed for $23,740,900, the fifteen National Guard camps taking $19,339,600 of the securities. Twenty-five of the thirty-one cantonment camps went over the $1,000,000 mark and eleven of them subscribed individually for more than $1,500,000. The National Army camps had a per capita subscription of $68.36. Camp Meade, at Admiral Maryland, led the National Army with a per capita subscription of $89.36. Camp Cody at Deming, N. M., led the National Guard with a per capita subscription of $96.56.

The North Pacific Coast Artillery district, with headquarters at Seattle, Washington, reported a total subscription of $454,650 from 4,063 subscribers of a total strength of 4,718 men.

In the latter part of the bond campaign, officers and enlisted men were detailed wherever practicable, to cooperate with local Liberty Loan organizations. A typical sample of the results was shown in the telegraphic report from Camp Lee, the National Army cantonment at Petersburg, Virginia, to the effect that through the efforts of officers and enlisted men of that camp, bond subscriptions amounting to $14,532,450 were obtained from persons residing outside of Camp Lee.

This amazing showing by the men in arms should bring home with compelling force a lesson in practical patriotism to all persons who are not called to the army. The next Liberty Loan will determine the extent to which this lesson carries.

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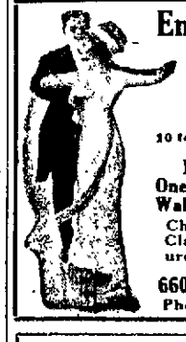
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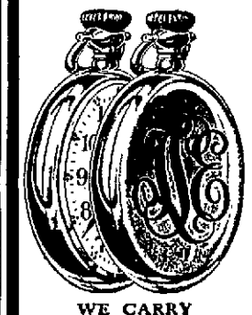
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For the sake of the boys who are fighting
For love of the Red, White and Blue!

The Red Cross gives yarn for the asking,
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Will the daughters of Freedom be slackers
When brothers are doing their bit?

Oh, many's the loved one, returning
With tales of the blood and the cold,
That will mention the sox and the sweaters
And things that we've knit for our hold

And many's the one, humbly dying,
That might have been saved had we knit,
And thus covered our boys with warm garments!
Had women but done their small bit.

—Isabel Forner Weddon.

Edison

They call him genius, but he only
Listens to his soul;
They call him genius, but he only
Gives his will control;
They call him genius, but he only
Works with might and main;
They call him genius, but he only
Uses his good brain.
His strength they cannot fathom, nor his
Instinct, nor his nerve,
But he only rules his spirit, and
It supplies his verve.
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The Wise Fool.

"Money can't buy love," observed the sage.

"No," replied the fool, "but it comes in mighty handy for procuring the divorce."

In Wrong.

Old Adam liked to brag all day,
But Eve would tie a can
On his hot air when he would say
He was a self made man.

Gold.

Gold was known from the earliest historic times and is mentioned in the eleventh verse of the second chapter of Genesis. At first it was chiefly used for ornaments. The trade of the goldsmith is mentioned in the fourth verse of the seventeenth chapter of Judges in connection with the overlaying of idols with gold leaf.

Korea Eats Rice With a Spoon.

While China and Japan take rice with chopsticks, Korea eats hers with a spoon. Prediction is that the next step will usher in the broad fork. "Whence comes this peculiarity?" asks the Korea Magazine. "One reason is that in the Analects of Confucius a record exists that the master ate his millet not with chopsticks, but with a spoon. Every saying that pertains to Confucius is reverently regarded in Korea, and the people of that land would rather follow the master than present day custom."—East and West News.

The Servian Swineherd.

In any Servian village there is only one swineherd, and he leads all the pigs of the community. In the morning he goes through the streets blowing his horn, and the pigs come out of their own accord and fall in behind him and follow him to the pasture. At night he brings them home, and they disperse to their sties in the same orderly way as they pass the houses to which they belong. They require no attention and no singling out.

Southern Mangrove.

The rhizophora mangle, the southern mangrove, is most curious in propagation. The seed sends forth a shoot that really comes through the seed and grows to a foot long. It then falls away and strikes, root end down, in the mud and is at once a plant.

She Got the Idea.

He—I say, Dolly, may I take your photograph? You look so pretty that I feel I could eat you! She—Oh, I see, that's why you want me on a plate, eh?

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Bites and Stings

In case of a sting of any kind the first thing to do, of course, is to remove the sting. This can best be done with the point of a knife or needle, but care should be taken not to break the skin for fear of infection. Then the next best thing, perhaps, is to apply ammonia water or soda water to the affected parts.

In case of bites, as well as of stings when the sting is removed, as a rule a paste of common baking soda applied to the affected parts or these bathed in ammonia water is all that is necessary. Where the poisonous effect is severe, however, send for a doctor. In the meantime the patient should lie down and keep quiet.

An application of a 50 per cent solution of a saturate solution of potassium permanganate which you get at the drug store is very efficient—for insect poisons and for the poisons of plants, too, such as poison ivy and sumac.

Candies

For Christmas

THE PUREST AND BEST

Made in Our Own Sanitary Factory—Inspection Invited

WILSON'S

6340 South Halsted St.

The Original and Old Reliable

CANDY MAN

1 lb fancy boxes of Mixed Chocolates, assorted flavors **2.25**
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Large assortment of Candy Canes, 1c to $5 00

We are the original makers of the famous Buttermilk Chocolate Creams and ours is the only store where you can obtain this brand of chocolates

REMEMBER—We have no branch stores and do not wholesale any of our goods and that THERE IS BUT ONE

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6340 S. Halsted St.

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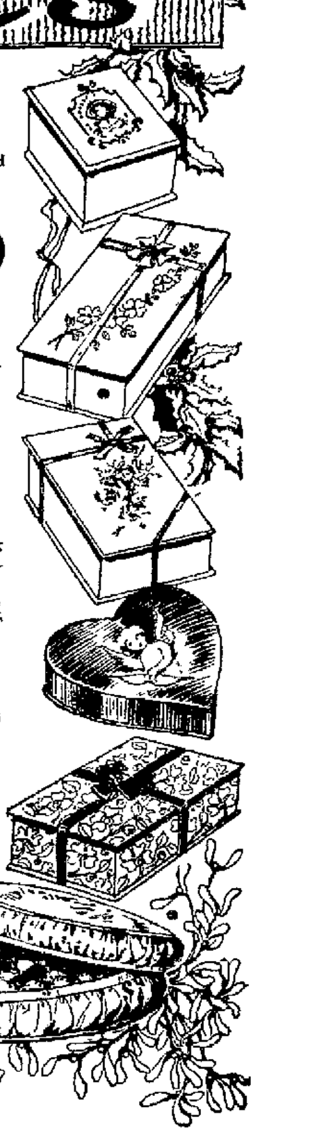
Having Bought Our Supplies in Advance We Are Still Able to Sell at Old Prices

Remember the Soldier Boy Away from Home

Get your order in now. We will pack and ship candy to any camp for you. He will enjoy some of our Pure Candy



At the Cosmopolitan Theatre Thursday, Dec. 13th

Benefit Performance

Thursday, Dec. 13, a benefit performance will be given by the Englewood Theater to provide a fund for overcoats for Company B Third Regiment, Illinois Militia.

The entire proceeds of this performance will be turned over to the soldier boys by the Englewood Theater management to help provide the boys with uniform overcoats. The boys are too proud to go out and ask for donations and as that they are perfectly willing to go out and earn their overcoats so have decided to accept the generous offer of the Englewood to stage a monster benefit show. The regular burlesque show will be held with no advance in prices but in addition the boys will give an exhibition drill and demonstrate what they have mastered in the art of drilling, and one of their picked squads will present a classy selection of formations on the stage. The theater will be decorated for the occasion.

Don't forget that these boys deserve a liberal patronage and no stone is being left unturned by the Englewood management and the boys to make this event a monster success.

The attraction is the "Darlings of Paris" which is a very strong bill. Don't be a slacker, be a patriot, help keep these boys warm by buying tickets at the Englewood box office or of any member of Company B.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Haas of Marshfield Av. had twenty-four guests for dinner Thanksgiving day at their home.

Miss Lillian Van Dershoal of Racine Ave. will entertain the Lotus P. C. next Saturday evening at her home.

STERN & BENDER

The Store of Quality 7839-41 S. Halsted St. Groceries, Meat, Fish

We would like to call your attention to one of the big advantages in trading at our store —namely, here you can get a choice variety of fresh fruits and vegetables, all the staples in can and package goods and the best the market offers in fresh, salt and smoked meats—in fact, your whole table may be set from purchases at our store. And remember—our new CASH and NON DELIVERY system makes our prices as low as any. For example note a few of our regular prices

- Ceresota Flour, ⅛ bbl sack **1.47**
- Savoy Graham or Entire Wheat Flour, 5 lb bags **35c**
- Rye Flour, ⅛ bbl sacks **1.39**
- Swan's Down Cake Flour **33c**
- Pillsbury's Bran **12½c**
- Hominy, in bulk, lb **7c**
- Rolled Oats, in bulk, lb **6c**
- Krumbles, pkg **10c**
- Kellog's Corn Flakes **9c**
- Peaches, fine quality large cans **19c**
- Pineapples, Beauty brand, large cans **22c**
- Peaches, sliced, each **13c**
- Pork and Beans, Monsoon brand can **15c**
- Pork and Beans, Richelieu **16c**
- Peas, fine early June, Hippo brand **13c**
- Tomatoes, Plymouth Rock, large cans **17c**
- Tomatoes, Plymouth Rock, small cans **14c**
- Puffed Wheat or Rice **12½c**
- Pancake Flour, Aunt Jemima, Uncle Jerry's or King's **12c**
- Potatoes, white Wisconsin, peck **35c**
- Soap, American Family, each **5c**
- Soap, Big Ben, Classic or Crystal White **4½c**
- Catsup, Snider or Richelieu, pint bottles **23c**
- Liquid Veneer, 25c size **20c**
- 50c size **39c**
- Powder, Grand ma's, large pkg **12½c**
- Powder, Nine O'clock Washing Tea **5c**
- Cleanser, Lighthouse or Sunbrite, 3 for **10c**
- Clothes Pins, 1 dozen **5c**
- Matches, large boxes **5c**
- Per dozen **55c**
- Toilet Paper, large rolls **7c**
- Four for **25c**
- Toilet Paper, small rolls **5c**
- Seven for **25c**
- Wax Paper in rolls full count, 3 for **10c**
- Takhoma Biscuit **6c**
- Krispy Crackers **12c**
- Black Walnuts, pound **7c**

MEATS

TUESDAY, DEC 11
- Oysters, standard, quart **43c**
- Oysters, selects, quart **53c**
- Home Dressed Chickens, lb **28c**
- Fresh Fish of all Kinds

WEDNESDAY, DEC 12
- Plate Corned Beef, pound **15c**
- Pickled Pork Shoulder, lb **28c**
- Hamburger Steak, pound **18c**
- Sirloin Steak, pound **28c**

THURSDAY, DEC 13
- Round Steak, pound **25c**
- Porterhouse or Club Steak—pound, 32c and **30c**
- Home Made Pure Pork Sausage, pound **30c**
- Veal Stew, pound **20c**

FRIDAY, DEC 14
- Kettle Rendered Lard, pound **32c**
- Leaf Lard, pound **30c**
- Brisket Bacon, pound **37c**
- Smoked Butts, pound **36c**
- All Kinds of Fish and Oysters

SATURDAY, DEC. 15
- Pork Loins, pound **28c**
- Pot Roast, lb, 22c and **20c**
- Edelweiss Hams, pound **32c**
- Rolled Roast, lb, 25c and **23c**
- Best Native Rib Roast, lb, 27c and **25c**

We Dress Our Own Poultry

ASCHER'S COSMOPOLITAN THEATRE

Seventy-Ninth and Halsted Streets

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11th

CONTINUOUS, 2 15 TO 11 15
Matinee—All Seats 10c
6 45 to 11 15—Adults 15c, Children 10c

Francis X. Beverly

Bushman and Bayne

In the Metro Wonderplay

'The Voice of Conscience'

The Best Bushman Picture Mae Tinee, of the Chicago Tribune, Has Ever Praised

ALSO THIS DAY
Another Great 2-Reel Fox Comedy

By a strange turn of fate William Potter is obliged to impersonate Jame Houston. There is a remarkable resemblance between the two men. Houston, who has still to serve three months in jail, persuades the other man, who is to be released the next day, to pass himself off as Brother Jim and cheer the last days of the old mother. Against his better judgment Potter goes to the Virginia mansion and is received with open arms and placed in charge of the estate. He falls desperately in love with Alline, but he is in honor bound to remember the fact that he must think of her as a sister. Conscience and his love urge him to tell her the truth, but he is in honor bound not to do so while Mrs. Houston lives. How he suffers when he sees other men paying attention to the woman he loves while he himself must play the part of brother. I'll bet it works out all right in the end—don't you? I won't tell you any more about it but will meet you next Tuesday between 2 and 11 at the Cosmo and we will talk it

THIS DAY we have fifteen dollars—15 nice clean American $1 bills—to say for us that this is the best Bushman picture ever made and that you will like him, Miss Bayne, the entire cast and the whole [illegible]

IF WE RECEIVE ONE COMPLAINT WE GIVE AWAY THE $15

Which in our opinion does not give you much chance at the money (there can be no complaint) but as long as we have the [illegible] on our brain and the idea of giving it away, so we will do so. We have hired a boy for the whole day at each show and both evening performances. We will ask you if you do not think this is a fine feature? Truthfulness will compel you to remain silent but the boy we have bribed—he will loudly declare "NO."

THEN WE GIVE THE EASY MONEY AWAY AS FOLLOWS

3:45, $3; 8:00, $7; 9:30, $5

Everyone Has an Equal Chance to Get the Money

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12th

CONTINUOUS—2.15 TO 11 15
Matinee—All Seats 10c
6 45 to 11 15—Adults 15c, Children 10c

Earle Williams

IN

"THE GRELL MYSTERY"

A Clever Star — In A Big Play

DOES THE CRIMINAL ALWAYS LEAVE A CLUE?

FAMOUS sleuths claim that the clue is always to be found. This was also the theory of Holden Foyle, wealthy society detective. And when he learned that Robert Grell, the famous explorer, had been found murdered, he started out to find the clue that he knew existed somewhere. He found it in the finger print on the dagger, and the finger prints were those of the girl he loved. His heart told him that this was not—could not be true. His knowledge, the unfailing records of years told him that it was true; that handwriting, the camera, even eye-witness testimony might lie, but finger prints never! And then he found that Robert Grell, the man he believed he had seen lying dead on the library floor, whose funeral he had attended— But Fate had another unbelievable surprise in store. Grell was for a time suspected of having slain the man thought by everyone to have been himself. Weighted by a great love, willing to sacrifice his own reputation to disprove the damaging evidence that pointed to his proposed wife, Foyle labored on. And his adventures make one of the most unusual dramas ever screened.

ALSO THIS DAY—THE LATEST
Hearst-Pathe News and Drew Comedy

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13th

CONTINUOUS—2 15 TO 11 15
Matinee—All Seats 10c
6 45—Adults 15c, Children 10c
Adults must pay Government Tax

Norma Talmadge

IN

"The Secret of the Storm Country"

Suggested as a Sequel to
MARY PICKFORD'S
"Tess of the Storm Country"

IN this picture Miss Talmadge touches the highest note yet reached in her career as the squatter's daughter wronged and deserted by the man she loved, left to rear their child under a cloud. She rises to great emotional heights and her portrayal of Tess will win the sympathies of everyone. Tess is a product of the storm country in general and of the despised squatters village on the shore of a beautiful lake. All her life has been spent in the defensive and the one bright spot in it is her love for Frederick Graves. For a time Tess lives in a radiant paradise all of her own. Her happiness is short lived, however, for Frederick on the occasion of their next meeting breaks the news that his mother has ordered him to wed Madeline Walder, Ebenezer Walder's brother, Ebenezer Walder, stricter besides being the wealthiest man in the community, is the squatters arch enemy. Tess too broken to fight for her rights consents to keep their secret and allow the other marriage to take place.

He and his pseudo wife immediately after the wedding leave on an extended tour. A short time later her father dies leaving Tess without a protector in her hour of need. Her condition becomes known to the villagers who at the instigation of Ebenezer Walder trick her to trial before the church council and attempt to force her into marriage with the villain of the Jo will Sandy [illegible]. From there on the action moves rapidly to a thrilling climax. Tess weathers the storm of heartbreak and sorrow, holds fast to her ideal of motherhood and fights her way back to level ground. The story is a gripping bit of entertainment with never a lag in the story. Don't miss it is the advice of all the critics.

ALSO

The Latest Christie Comedy And the Wonders of Nature

Auburn Park Dec 8th

My Dear Soldier Across the Ocean Blue

Your postal with the beautiful Paris scene on it received and oh how happy it made me feel to know that you were safe in France. I realize you have very few chances to write, but if you knew the long watchful hours I spend waiting and longing for the letter that may never come you would realize that the wives and mothers you leave at home have to be brave also.

I am still the picture fan of old and the Cosmopolitan Theater is my one dissipation. Don't think Boy all the good times you are missing. Mary Pickford in her latest picture "The Little Princess" will be there Dec 14th and 15th. Now for a little surprise. You were always joshing me because I could not dance. Well every Monday night after the movies it's little Mary up to White's Dancing Academy. It's in the hall above the theater. I am getting along fine and will soon be able to attend the Tuesday night class, which is the advanced dancing. Oh, Boy hurry home and dance with me.

Baby is playing with the little kitten and having the best of a good time.

Love and more love. From your own little

MARY

TWO DAYS ONLY

Friday, December 14th—Saturday, December 15th

NO ADVANCE IN PRICES
2 15 to 11 15 Continuous Matinee—All Seats 10c 6 45—Adults 15c, Children 10c
First and Only Presentation in This Vicinity
ENGAGEMENT EXTRAORDINARY

★ Mary Pickford ★

In Her Latest and Most Popular Success

'The Little Princess'

IN "The Little Princess" Mary plays another charming role from child life depicting the story of Sara Crewe, known to thousands of readers of Miss Burnett's novels. Sara is sent to an aristocratic English boarding school but at the death of her father and the loss of his fortune Sara is relegated to the position of a common slavey in this fashionable school for girls where she is subjected to all the drudgery and other unkindnesses thrust upon her by the hypocritical matron. Her lonely position, hunger and craving for sympathetic companionship of girls of her own age are all reminiscent of the adventures of Oliver Twist in the famous Dickens story. Sara Crewe is a sort of feminine Oliver Twist and when she confides to her slavey companion Becky that "he hasn't eaten well for so long, she knows she must be full of hollows" her feelings remind us of the forlorn Oliver when he passed his porridge bowl for more—and didn't get it. Again when Sara and Becky sneaking down stairs where a Christmas cake is in progress of making for the more fortunate girls, the slaveys had to be contented with the smells for the cake they knew would not be shared with them. Sara is not destined to remain a common drudge until however for the event in the life unfold like some of the romance of the East she has heard in her native city of Bombay. Also in "The Little Princess" is provided Mary Pickford with one of the most irresistibly human roles which she has portrayed for the screen.

EXTRA FRIDAY
Latest Hearst-Pathe And Vitagraph Comedy

EXTRA SATURDAY
Latest Bray Pictograph

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16th

1 30 to 5 30—All Seats 10c
5 30 to 11 15—Children 10c, Adults 15c

J. Stuart Blackton

The Master of Screencraft, Presents
Sir Gilbert Parker's Great Story

'The Judgment House'

A powerful dramatic story of a beautiful frivolous woman and two men

ALSO THIS DAY
VAUDEVILLE
THE LATEST 2-REEL KEYSTONE COMEDY AND A PATHE CARTOON

Special for Matinee Only
Not Shown After 5 P M
Helen Holmes in

The Lost Express

Episode No 5

Moderation

To the man that is forty, who has made moderation in all things his rule, life has only well begun and fame is still possible The best things in a man's life usually come to him after the age of forty.

Work For Others.

If you are in doubt about this and that, worrying about yourself and not hopeful of any one else and forever restless and anxious go out and work for others and you will feel the healthy glow of new life

Just Reversed

City Girl—That hen is acting very queerly, just as though she were hatching a plot Country Maiden—On the contrary, she is plotting a hatch—Baltimore American

Some Reason.

"Why do you believe in that fool superstition that it is unlucky to have thirteen people at dinner?" asked Mr Gabb

"Because I have only twelve knives and twelve forks," replied Mrs. Gabb.

Fact.

Don't chide the man who smites your cheek,
Forgive him, oh, my brother!
And you'll find that the nervy geek
Will smite you on the other

Paw Knows Everything.

Willie—Paw, what is a debutante?
Paw—A debutante is a girl who starts in when she comes out, my son.

Names is Names.

Rocky Rivers lives at Brackettsville Tex.

Safety First!

Miss Henrietta Kruger of 29 Stanley gardens, Nottinghill gate, W., begs to give notice that she has changed her name to Henrietta Kingston Although a natural born British subject, she is persuaded to make this change solely on account of any prejudice which the use of the name may occasion.—Ad. in London Times.

At the Cosmopolitan Theatre Sunday, Dec 16th

The Laugh Tornadoes

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COLONIAL TEA CO., 7807 S. Halsted St.

A DOLLAR spent wisely is a dollar well spent You cannot help but spend your money wisely if you trade with us because our prices are rock bottom at all times not on four or five articles but all through our line, therefore, your dollar is well spent We save you from one to five cents on every article purchased of us On Coffee we save you from 5 to 10 cents on pound On Teas from 10 to 20 cents a pound

Coffee, 20c, 23c, 28c and 32c the pound, cannot be duplicated
Teas, 35c, 39c and 49c the pound, high-grade Teas.

Item	Price
Waneta Coco, ½ lb can, 15c, 1 lb can	25c
Oak Grove Butterine, lb	32c
Jelke Good Luck Butterine, lb	32c
Nut Margarine, pound	31c
Cream of Nut Butterine, lb	31c
Country Roll Butterine, lb	29c
Italian Beans, pound	12c
Cranberry Beans, pound	12c
Navy Beans, pound	16c
Lima Beans, pound	16c
Christmas Raisins, no seeds, pkg	10c
Sunmaid Seedless Sultana Raisins, pkg	15c
Lard Compound, pound	23c
Green Beans, can	12c
Canned Cranberries, per can	5c
Mixed Nuts, pound	20c
New Walnuts, imported lb	25c
New Walnuts, California lb	28c
Table Raisins, 1 lb box	18c
Silver Kettle Cane and Maple Syrup, large bottle	27c
Figs, imported, stewing pound	16c
Washington Krisp, pkg	9c
Virginia Sweet Pancake Flour, lb	12c
Van Camp's Milk can	12½c
Crisco, 1 lb can	27c
Crisco 1½ lb can	40c
Tomatoes, No 2 size can	12½c
Tomatoes, No 3 size can	16c
Peas, Early June, can	12c
Peas, Sifted Early June can	15c
Corn, sweet and tender can	13c
Tomato Pulp, can	8c
Fould's Macaroni and Spaghetti pkg	8c
Yellow Onions, 3 lbs for	10c
Sardines in pure olive oil	12½c
Lunch Paper 5 rolls for	10c
Palm Olive Soap, bar	9c
Olivilo Soap, bar	9c
Jap Rose Soap, bar	9c
Kirk's Flake White Soap, bar	4c
Kirk's Toilet Soap, bar	4½c
E Z Stove Polish	8c
A B Stove Polish	8c
Burnshine 20c can 10c 1 can	12c
Lux, pkg	11c
Swift's Washing Powder, 1 pkgs	15c
Armour's White Cloud Soap, 10 bars for	43c
Armour's Lighthouse Soap 5 bars for	27c
Swift's Pride Soap 6 bars for	29c
Matches, large box	5c
Quaker Oats pkg	9c
Purity Oats pkg	9c
Flour New Century ⅛ bbl sack	1.39
Flour, Pillsbury's ⅛ bbl sack	1.47
King's Buckwheat pkg	10c
Graham Flour, 5 lb sack	33c
Entire Wheat 5 lb sack	33c
Rye Flour 5 lb sack	32c
Rye Flour ⅛ bbl sack	1.35
Pillsbury's Bran, pkg	12c
Grape Nuts, pkg	12c
Peanut Butter, best grade lb	22c
Flour New Century, ⅛ bbl sack	1.39
Flour Pillsbury's ⅛ bbl sack	1.47
King's Buckwheat, pkg	10c
Graham Flour, 5 lb sack	33c
Entire Wheat Flour, 5 lb sack	33c
Rye Flour 5 lb sack	32c
Rye Flour, ⅛ bbl sack	1.35
Pillsbury's Bran, pkg	12c
Grape Nuts pkg	12c
Peanut Butter best grade lb	22c
Sugar lb	8c
Rolled Oats 5 lbs for	29c
Cornmeal lbs for	29c
Arm and Hammer Soda 1 lb pkg	4c
Arm and Hammer Soda 1 lb pkg	8c
Dr Price's Baking Powder 1 lb can	42c
Baker's Bitter Chocolate 1 lb cake	18c
Instant Postum, 30c can for	23c
Best Grade Pure Butter lb	48c
Split Peas, lb	12c
Honey in Comb, lb	24c

Bring the Baby --- Stay all Day

Saturday, December 15 will be

BABY DAY

at Stigall's Drug Store

Halsted and 80th Streets

We have 1,000 Baby Customers in this vicinity. We want to see them all, weigh them all and get their names

A $2 Comb and Brush Set will be given to the YOUNGEST BABY
$2 in Cash to the mother accompanied by baby who makes the largest purchase

And a Souvenir for Every Baby Present

Special Sale on Baby Goods

BABY FOODS
CASTORIA
COUGH SYRUP
TALCUM POWDER
NIPPLES
BOTTLES
BRUSHES
SPONGES
CHAMOIS
WASH CLOTHS
TOOTH BRUSHES

INFANT SYRINGES
EAR AND ULCER SYRINGES
HOT WATER BOTTLES
SOAPS, ETC.

2 W. J. STIGALL'S 2 DRUG STORES

N. E. COR. 78th and HALSTED STREETS Phone Stewart 2950
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SANTY HAS COME TO OUR STORE

Your Christmas Store

FRANK'S

7800-7806 South Halsted Street

S. W. Corner 78th Street

OUR HOLIDAY STOCK is now most complete and in readiness for your inspection. All kinds of Presents for both young and old. You will find it easy to make a satisfactory selection. Our Prices Are Within the Reach of All.

OPEN EVERY EVENING TILL CHRISTMAS

Christmas Tree Candles, box— **5c** (3 limit)

32 Cards, Seals, etc , assorted— **5c**

72 Christmas Cards, Tags, etc , special— **10c**

Special for Tuesday Only

Ladies' Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, regular 25c value, special— **15c** (6 limit)

Special for Wednesday Only

Embroidered Pillow Cases, put up in holly boxes, pair, **50c** (2 pr limit)

Special for Thursday Only

Ladies' 3-piece Breakfast Set, consists of skirt, sacque and cap, complete— **75c** (2 limit)

Special for Friday Only

Ladies' Sateen Petticoats, with flowered ruffle, regular price $1 25, special— **79c**

Beautiful selection of fancy flowered Ribbon, special for this sale, yard **25c**

5 inch Moire Taffeta Ribbon, special, yard **19c**

Holly Ribbon, bolt of 5 yards **10c**

SLIPPERS FOR EVERYBODY

Men's Tan or black Opera or Everett Style Slippers, special **1.59**

Ladies' Felt Juliet Slippers, ribbon trimmed, special, only **1.25**

Men's vici kid Romeo Slippers, tan or black, special only **1.98**

Children's Red Felt Bootees, elegantly trimmed and ornamented **95c**

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Wool Sweater Coats, Lorenz knit—navy, gray or maroon, with shawl collar, special **3.00**
Others Up to $6.95

Men's Dress Shirts, big selection, **$5.00** down to **98c**

Suspenders in holly boxes, big selection, **$1.00, 75c** and **50c**

Neckwear, beautiful assortment, in holly boxes, **$1 00, 75c, 50c** and **35c**

Mufflers, knitted or silk material, **$2 00** down to **59c**

Gloves, warm knitted or leather, **$2 50** down to **50c**

COUPON

Clark's Mercerized Crochet Cotton, with this coupon, spool— **7½c** (6 limit)

COUPON

Boys' lined leather Mittens, with this coupon, **29c**

COUPON

Boudoir Caps, put up in holly boxes, regular price 50c, with this coupon — **35c** (2 limit)

COUPON

Towel Sets, consisting of 1 large Turkish Towel, 1 Guest Towel and 1 Washrag to match, put up in box, set— **69c** (2 limit)

COUPON

Ladies' leather Hand Bags, with fittings, 75c value, with coupon— **39c** (2 limit)

COUPON

Baby Blankets, pink or blue border, each— **15c** (2 limit)

TOYS FOR THE LITTLE ONES

Tinker Toys, every boy wants one, regular price 50c, special **39c**

Master Builders, a practical toy, **$1.00, 50c** and **25c**

Battle Games, Army and Navy, special, **50c** and **25c**

Champion Steering Sled, **$1.50** and **98c**

Picture Books for the Baby, **10c** to **25c**

Story Books for the Boys and Girls, special, **35c, 25c** and **15c**

Large size Unbreakable Doll, special **25c**

Cooking School or Sunny Monday washing sets, special **50c**

10 piece set Enamel Dishes, special **25c**

BATH ROBES

Ladies' Bath Robes, big selection, splendid values at **$4 95** down to **2.95**

Girls' Blanket Bath Robes, special **1.75**

Child's Blanket Bath Robes, special **1.25**

Men's heavy Blanket Bath Robes, special **3.50**

TEA APRONS

Large selection of fine Lawn and Dotted Swiss Tea Aprons, special value at **98c, 69c, 59c, 39c** and **25c**

TOILET SETS

White Ivory Hair Receiver, Powder Puff, Tray or Comb, special, each **25c**

Child's Handkerchiefs with fancy embroidered corners, 2 in box, special **12½c**

Ladies' fancy embroidered Handkerchiefs, 3 in box, special, box **29c**

Ladies' embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs, 3 in box, special, box **69c**

Men's Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, 6 in box, per box **1.50**

Men's Cambric Initial Handkerchiefs, 6 in box, per box **65c**

Ladies pure silk Boot Hose, special, pair **69c**

Fancy striped silk Hose, all colors in holly boxes special **1.25**

Corset Covers nicely trimmed in fancy boxes **59c**

Crepe de Chine Corset Covers special **98c**

Ladies Nainsook Gowns, big selection $1 95 and **1.50**

Ladies' Envelope Chemises of fine quality longcloth, special **1.25**

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